CHARACTER IN THE HANDS. They Are an Unfailing leder of a Man's

A sure indication of character is and in the way is which a man car ries his hands," says C. G. Clark, of "You notice men on the streets. See the young man with swinging arms and palms that are dislayed to all who take the trouble to He is one of that class whose heart is as open as his hands. He is frank, unauspicious, a free spender, and a believer in the honesty of his fellows. Notice the business man more advanced in years. His hands are always closed tightly that he gives you the im pression he is ever expecting as atupon a certain object. It is an atti-tude which displays the qualities of de-termination and fight. In debate you will observe some of our lawmakers emphasize a statement by hammering desk before them with their knuckles, while others, apparently equally impassioned, are satisfied with the use of the palm. You may rest as-sured that if sheer determination will succeed the man who applies his knuckles will win before his colleague who uses his palm. The way in which the thumb is held is also a true sign of character. The man who turns it in under his fingers is always weak. That is the position in which it is al-ways held by a child. The thumbs of great men are large and point out con-spicuously from their fellow-members. The duke of Wellington, Napoleon, Grant, Gladstone, Salisbury, Moriey, Blaine, not to go any further, have the distinctive peculiarity mentioned. I am prepared to lay a wager that if I be given one hundred men I will read their nature and their power by a close examination of the manner is which they hold their hands."

### MILITARY SURGERY. What Will Be the Results of Warfare of

Considerable discussion has been going on in the foreign journals by experts in military surgery as to the like-ly result in killed and wounded of any future European war, and, from the fact that England, France, Germany, Austria and Switzerland have now adopted rifles of small caliber, with corresponding smaller projectiles of hard metal, and that Russia's and Italy's inclimations are in the same line, surgeons are anxious to know what will be the nature of the wounds inflicted-how they will differ from those previously caused by the large, soft metal bullets, which soon expanded and broke up upon impact, carrying often into the ounds fragments of clothing, tearing the vessels, causing comminuted fractures of the bones, the injuries being followed by long continued suppurations, and conditions being set up often led to death or sacrifice of limbs. The deductions made up to the present time from the results of trials with the Lebel rifle at various distances appear to be that while the proportion of deaths on the battlefield will be greatly reduced, one may confidently expect that the number of men wounded and put hors de combat in any future war between European powers will be much greater than has ever before been ex-

### THEY'RE ALL COWARDS.

Western "Bad Men" Needn't Be Feared by Anybody with Nerve.

"Don't talk to me about your bad men' and your 'killers,' "said Hal Ronse, of Texas, to a St. Louis Globe-Democrat man. "I have been among the very worst on the border, and, while I don't want to appear as a boaster or a fighter, I never have yet seen one of them that I was the least bit afraid of. They are nearly all cowards or assas sins, and all a man needs to protect himself or his interests among them is a little pistol and a steady nerve. The average so-called 'killer' in Texas and throughout the west is a our who has made his reputation by shooting poor sevils in the back or taking advantage of an unarmed man. They murder a tenderfoot on the prairies as they shoot flown a buffalo, and at about the same distance, too, and they delight in a barroom brawl among themselves when they know no one is going to get hurt, because one is as big a coward as the other, and each man is afraid to shoot first. The fact is, I had rather face a dozen of these western 'killers' at once than one of these quiet, determined men in the large cities of the country.'

### BREEDING PEARLS.

Queer Customs of the Pearl Hunters of

The pearl hunters of Borneo and adjacent islands have a peculiar super-stition. When engaged in opening shells in search of pearls they take every ainth find, whether it be large or small, and put it into a bottle, which is kept tightly corked with a dead man's The pearls thus kept are known as "seed pearls, or breeding pearls," the natives of all the islands mentioned firmly believing that they will reproduce their kind. For every pearl put into the phial two grains of rice are put in for the pearls to "feed" upon. Some whites in Borneo believe as firmly in the firmly in the superstition as the natives de, and almost every but along the coast has its "dead finger" bottle with from nine to fifty "seed pearls" and twice that number of rice grains carefully and evenly stowed away among them. Prof. Kinnerly says that meanly all the burtal places along the coast have been descrated by "pearl breeders" in search of corks for their

### Too Polite.

A college graduate, hard up in Louis-A college graduate, hard up in Louis-ville, was compelled to accept a position as driver on a street railway. His natural politeness did not desert him. Whenever a lady on the street lifted a hand to summon him to halt for her, he gracefully lifted his hat. One day a ludy waiting on a corner, and desiring to ride, chanced to have her handker thief in her hand, and waved it at him. He not only lifted his het, but dropped the reins a moment until with his dispugaged hand he threw a kiss to her. He imagined she was firting with him.

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